ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER FORM PIO 135 OMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE U.S. DEPARIMEN HARMSEN 002 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5) DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 09/554,835 PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATES 22 November 1997 PCT/EP98/07389 18 November 1998 TITLE OF INVENTION USE OF THE E.CGLI STRAIN DSM 6601 FOR TREATING DIARRHOEA IN **526 Rec'd PCL PTO** VETERINARY MEDICINE APPLICANT(S) Hans PROPPERT FOR DO/EO/US Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 2. X This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371 (f)) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371 (b) and PCT Articles A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)) is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). has been transmitted by the International Bureau. h is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(2)). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)) are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). have been transmitted by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. C have not been made and will not be made. A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)). An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(4)). (Executed) A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C 371 (c)(5)). Items 11. to 16. below concern document(s) or information included: 1

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An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 & 3.3 is included.
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A substitute specification

16. X Other items or information:

Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) & Copy of Notification of a Defective Oath or Declaration

15. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.

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